

PARENT WEEKLY BULLETIN

Weekly news from the Haggerston School Community

Haggerston School
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Students enjoyed taking part in a Hackney athletics competition at the End stadium. Mabli won a gold medal for the 800m. Favour won silver for 200m and Silver for the Javelin. Well done to all students and these successful athletes! #athletics



For our latest news and stories, please follow us on...



Safeguarding

If you have a safeguarding concern please call the school Reception in the first instance and ask for a member of the Designated Safeguarding Team Ms Harry, Ms Ramsey or Ms Codling. If it is out of school hours please contact the safeguarding email address

haggerstonsafeguarding@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk

Regular communication with parents/carers is important to us at Haggerston School. It is vital that the school office holds updated and current contact information in order that you can receive important messages from school or in case of a medical and/or emergency situation.

Please contact the school office to verify your contact details
P: 020 7739 7324 E: haggerstonschool@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk

SPORTS FIXTURES & RESULTS



WATCH THIS SPACE FOR OUR UP COMING GAMES AND FIXTURE RESULTS



STUDENT OF THE WEEK

DANCE: OISIN EASTWOOD

FOR THE GREAT ATTITUDE TO LEARNING. DURING THE BUSY ASSESSMENT PERIOD HE COMPLETED A FANTASTIC ART HOMEWORK.



MATHS: SILVAN MCGOUGH

FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING PARTICIPATION AND HIGH LEVELS OF PRIDE IN THEIR BOOK

MESSAGE FROM THE CO-HEADTEACHERS

Ms Moran and Ms Turbet

Dear Parents/Carers,

A few different things to write home about this week:

Year 10 Exams

Firstly, we would like to congratulate Year 10 on how well they have approached their DPR3 exams. We have had large groups of students early in the mornings in the canteen revising, we have had almost 100% attendance every day and students have remained focused throughout the exams. It has been a joy to talk to students about how they have approached their revision and their aspirations for their results next year. Keep up the good work!

Attendance

Last week we ran an attendance event in school for families whose children are struggling with their attendance. Thank you to all of the families who attended this event. We really want to work collaboratively with you to help build your child's resilience around coming to school. We really appreciate all of the efforts that families have already made this week and we can see that this is already starting to have an impact.

Line Ups

Over the next few weeks we are going to be having a big push with students on the speed of line ups to ensure no wasted lesson time. We will be speaking with students about this on Monday in assemblies.

Uniform

A reminder that we will go back to normal "summer" uniform next week - students should bring their blazers with them, but they do not need jumpers. We appreciate we are moving to the end of the year, but students still need to wear school shoes - we have spare shoes that can be borrowed in school if their shoes are broken and you do not want to replace them before the end of term.

Year 6 Transition/ Sports Day/Work Experience

Today we are hosting the first of our transition events - with 1-1 meetings in school for Year 6 students. We are also really looking forward to welcoming all Year 6 students joining Haggerston on Thursday 4th July. Whilst the Year 6 students are in school, the rest of the school will be busy at Sports Day (y7-9) and Work Experience (Y10/12) - two highlights of the year!

6th Form Graduation

A huge congratulations to our Y13 students who graduated from school this week. Dressed in traditional graduation gowns and mortarboards it was a joy to see students, teachers and parents celebrating their successes. We were delighted to welcome Vanessa Vallely as our guest speaker - an ex-Haggerston student who has been awarded an OBE for her services to women and the economy. She is a regular global speaker sharing her advice and knowledge around finance, gender equality, entrepreneurship and charity.

Have a lovely weekend

Ms Moran and Ms Turbet, Co-Headteachers

MESSAGE FROM SCHOOL BUSINESS MANAGER

Mr Avramidis

Dear Parents/Carers

We are excited to announce that during the summer break we will be upgrading the canteen area so that we maximise the space and be able to accommodate more students inside. We are also planning to upgrade the Y11 garden and ensure that there are no muddy areas anymore. Both projects will be generously funded by CST. As usual, we will continue with our statutory compliance checks and risk assessments.

Also during the summer break, we will be looking to upgrade many of our Chromebooks. In addition we will check that all of the classroom computers and projectors are working and have them ready for the new academic year.

Mr Avramidis, School Business Manager



Attendance Matters

Every student. Every day.



ATTENDANCE STARS

YEAR 7

YEAR 8

YEAR 9

YEAR 10

YEAR 11

6TH FORM

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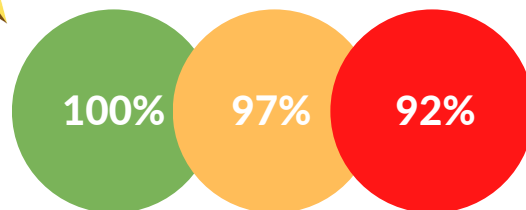
THIS WEEK'S TOP 3 FORMS!

YEAR 7S:
99.6

YEAR 7O:
99.3%

YEAR 10B:
98.8%

We want to share and celebrate excellent attendance and punctuality, and recognise students who make improvements. We are trialling a new rewards policy. Students with 100% attendance in a half term and a minimum of 96% or above over the year will be shared in assembly, receive citations and be entered for a weekly £5 prize draw. There will also be two attendance stars every week, who you will see above. At the end of term, students with 100% attendance will get an attendance pin for their blazer, a prize, certificate, letter home and a celebratory lunch with their year leads.



Why is attendance and punctuality important?

For children to achieve to the best of their ability, they must attend school every day and be punctual. Most children who meet these expectations will make very pleasing rates of progress during their time at Haggerston School. Our wish for all of the children here is that they make the most of everything that the school has to offer (academically, socially and more holistically with regards extra curricular opportunities and enrichment). That is only possible if children are here every day, on site by 8.30am ready for line-up/lesson one and are ready to learn/engage with the opportunities available.

HIGH ATTENDERS, HIGH ACHIEVERS WHERE WILL YOU BE?



Attendance %	Average Grade at GCSE
99 – 100	7
97 – 99	6
95 – 97	5
93 – 95	4
90 – 93	3
Under 90	3-

Key Notices

HOW TO GET (& KEEP) YOUR CHILD MOTIVATED

TUESDAY 02 JULY 2024 @ 6PM

Reserve your seat by registering here

On the night, we'll be going over:

- Use praise and reassurance to motivate your child
- Set effective and relevant goals for your child
- Help your child stay motivated long-term

Catering Tariffs to increase in September 2024

Dear Parents/ Carers,

From the 1st of September 2024, Olive Dining will be our new Catering provider. The Students' meal deal (both for hot and cold) will increase from £2.61 to £2.75. This is in line with our contractual obligation with our new Catering provider.

We regularly benchmark the catering tariffs with other local Schools and it is on par and much lower priced than the high street. However, it is important that we implement this increase in the current tariffs.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: From September, FSM allowance's can only be used during lunch time. This means that if a student wishes to purchase a breaktime snack, this will need to be paid for via a student's top-up account.



Thank you for your understanding.



Foyle Young Poets Award

The Foyle Young Poets of the Year Award 2024 is open!

Enter your poems by 31 July 2024 at foyleyoungpoets.org

For more details check with Ms Samy or Ms Roberts

Introducing Olive Dining

Haggerston's new catering provider from September

WELCOME FROM OLIVE!

We are excited to introduce Olive Dining, your school's new catering provider.

At Olive, we take great pride in the quality of our food and the ingredients we use.

We prioritise locally sourced produce to support the local community and reduce our environmental impact.

Our fantastic menus operate on a 3-week cycle, specially designed with the school in mind.

They offer a variety of exciting and flavourful hot dishes. Additionally, we provide a cold deli with a large number of freshly filled baguettes, sandwiches and bagels and a salad bar which provides a delicious variety of nutritious salads - perfect for students who prefer a cold lunch option.

HOT & COLD OPTIONS



We have a number of different concepts for students to try and we cater for all different tastes and cultures.

Our meal deal is available for both hot and cold meals and includes either a hot main and dessert or a cold sandwich/bagette and dessert.

Every day we have a range of infused water available in our dining room from Cucumber & Mint to Citrus Bursts for students to use to keep hydrated throughout the day.



HEALTHY EATING

We are committed to providing every dish cooked from fresh, so no added sugar substitutes go into our meals.

This means no packet mixes or pre-prepared dishes. Instead, we develop fresh recipes using healthy sugar replacements including fruit, vegetables and herbs.



At Olive Dining, we aim to reduce waste to the lowest practicable level, ensuring responsible disposal of waste created and received, also undertaking environmental audits and measuring the results against set targets to manage our waste production.



For further information you can view www.olivedining.co.uk or visit their Instagram or twitter pages



Healthy Food

All of our dishes are made with fresh, healthy ingredients. Providing healthy and delicious meals through our team of highly skilled chefs is the heart of what we do.



Fun Theme Days

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Worldwide Cuisine

Our dishes take inspiration from many countries and cultures and we also offer meals to cater for specific dietary requirements such as halal.



Upcoming Events: week beginning 01 July (Week 2)

Assembly Theme: Behaviour adaptations

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 12 Work Experience Week	Career Interviews	Young Chef Enrichment	Year 12 Work Experience Week	Year 12 Work Experience Week
Y12 NEA Fieldwork	Year 12 Work Experience Week	Year 12 Work Experience Week	Y10 Work Experience	
Y12 Art Exam	Y12 Art Exam	Y12 Art Exam	KS3 Sports Day	
	Arts Exhibition		Y6 Transition Day	

Lost property



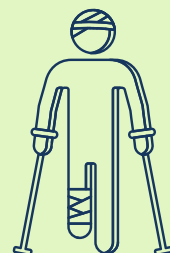
Dear Parents/Carers,

If your child has lost something during the school day, please ask them to visit student services where lost property is kept.

Please remember to label any belongings so they can quickly and easily be returned to their owner.

Students with short term mobility issues

If your child experiences a short term mobility issue, e.g. an injury such as spraining an ankle that requires crutches, could we please ask you to let their head of year know. We need this information in case we have to write an individual action plan to support a fire evacuation.



Music Lessons

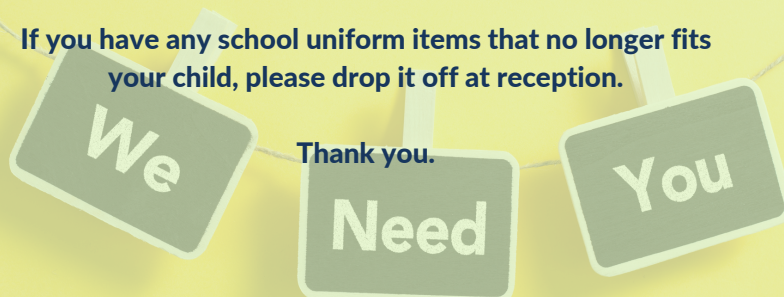
Individual and paired music lessons start next week. If your child is taking these you will receive an email with a timetable of your child's lessons and further information.

If your child is interested in taking individual/ paired music lessons at school in the future, please get them to fill in the Music Survey form on the DPR.

Thank you, Mr Woods, Peripatetic Lead
joseph.woods@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk

Got any old school uniforms?

If you have any school uniform items that no longer fits your child, please drop it off at reception.

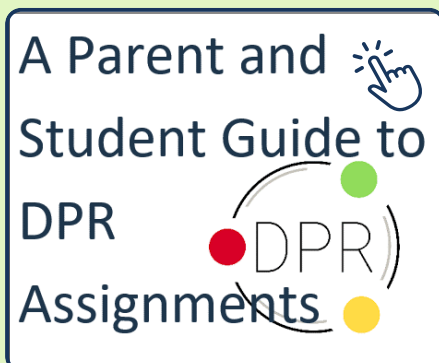


HEADS OF YEAR CONTACT DETAILS

Year 7
 Year 8
 Year 9
 Year 10
 Year 11
 Sixth Form

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rokayah.abdulmajed@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk
cherelle.yiminyi@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk
jonathan.wadsworth@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk
tom.ritchie@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk
charlotte.clarke@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk

PLEASE CONTACT YOUR CHILD'S HEAD OF YEAR IF YOU HAVE CONCERNS ABOUT THEIR SCHOOL WORK OR WELLBEING.



CLICK THE TILES TO FIND OUT MORE

Library timings
8h30am to 4h30pm

Learning Resource Centre



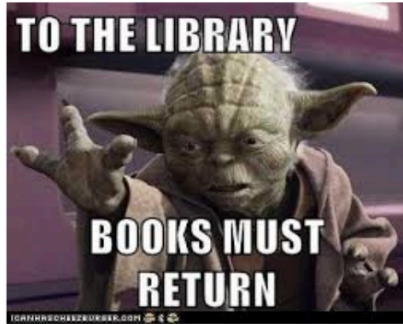
Recommended Reading Lists



LIBRARY
VISTING DAYS
YEAR 7, 8 & 9
TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS
YEAR 10 & 11
WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS
LIBRARY PASS ENTRY
MONDAYS

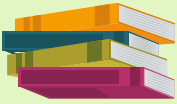
AFTER SCHOOL THE
LIBRARY IS OPEN TO
ALL YEAR GROUPS TO:
WORK QUIETLY
BORROW/RETURN BOOKS
USE COMPUTERS
REMEMBER
NO FOOD
DRINKS
CELL PHONE
NO FOOD, DRINKS & PHONE IN THE LIBRARY

CALLING ALL LIBRARY BOOKS!



All checked out
books to be
returned to the
Library by
5 July 2024

LITERACY TIP OF THE WEEK



Go electronics free! Switching off tablets, phones and laptops routinely for a short period has proven benefits. Indulging in more family conversations or having a family reading time is an amazing way to connect with your children.

BOOK OF THE WEEK



Klara and the Sun
by Kazuo Ishiguro

NUMERACY TIP OF THE WEEK



Try working through the 'Corbett Maths 5 a day' (search online) over the summer to keep your maths skills tippety top.

CAREERS BULLETIN

THE OFFICIAL HAGGERSTON CAREERS BULLETIN OFFERING CAREER OPPORTUNITIES TO ALL HAGGERSTON STUDENTS



CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION ON OUR CAREERS OFFER AND TO REVIEW OUR CAREERS BULLETINS.

The National Careers Service

Provides information, advice and guidance to help make decisions on learning, training and work. The website includes over 800 different job profiles <https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/>

UCAS

Explore your options, apply to university, and more <https://www.ucas.com/>

Find an apprenticeship

This government run service allows you to browse through and apply to available apprenticeships <https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship>

icould

Real-life career videos, advice and information to inspire your career <https://icould.com/>

Careermap

To view the latest issues of Careermap's Careermap for school leavers, click [here](#)

To receive a copy of future Careermap for School Leavers, follow this link: <https://careermap.co.uk/subscribe-to-careermag/>



Wellbeing and SEND



SilverCloud Online Programme: Supporting An Anxious Child

Dear Parents /Carers
Support with your young persons wellbeing

The digitised SilverCloud anxiety intervention for parents of young people can now be used without a supporter/practitioner. Clients can sign up using the Self Sign Up Link Pathway link and have access to the below content: This is part of our WAMHs offer.

For more information on this programme, [please click this link here](#)

Ms Ray -Choudhuri, Senior Assistant Headteacher and Mental Health Lead

Dear parents, HiP is a voluntary group of Hackney parents with SEND children, trying to be heard & listened to, to improve services, and to develop awareness, understanding & acceptance of SEND in our communities. Please see the following fliers that you hopefully find useful.



Autism Education Trust Training



Are you waiting for assessment or does your child already have an Autism Diagnosis?

Are you curious and would you like to know more about Autism?

"Helping to develop good autism practice"

Parent Autism Education Trust Training

Friday 19th of April 11:30 – 1:30pm @ Online

Thursday 23rd of May 6–8pm @ Online

Tuesday 2nd of July 11:30 – 1:30pm @ Online

Sign me up!

familycoach@hackney.gov.uk
Let us know which session you'd like to attend. We look forward to working with you!

next week

STARTING FROM 6TH JUNE 2024

The BIG Transition - preparing for the summer holidays

Weekly Parent Empowerment Groups - Delivered by the Family Coach Service

We'll be exploring what your best hopes for the summer holidays are, feeling confident about the summer holidays, your wellbeing, creating a plan, preparing for change and returning to school



For families with children that have special educational needs (SEN).

In any of the 4 areas of SEN.

No formal diagnosis or EHCP required.



TUESDAYS 10AM - 11.30AM
STARTING 11TH JUNE

Ickburgh School
Kenworthy Rd
E9 5RB

Ickburgh School*
exclusively for parents of SEND children in an ARP or SEND provision

WEDNESDAYS 9:30-10:30AM
STARTING 12TH JUNE

Berger Primary School
Anderson Rd
E9 6HB

THURSDAY 2PM - 3PM
STARTING 6TH JUNE

The Olive School
32 St John's Church Rd, London
E9 6EJ

10 spaces available. Please send us an email to book your place today familycoach@hackney.gov.uk



Other Notices



GCSE AND A-LEVEL ART, DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY EXHIBITION

Private View

Tuesday 2nd July

3:30-7pm

Haggerston School
The Ford Hall

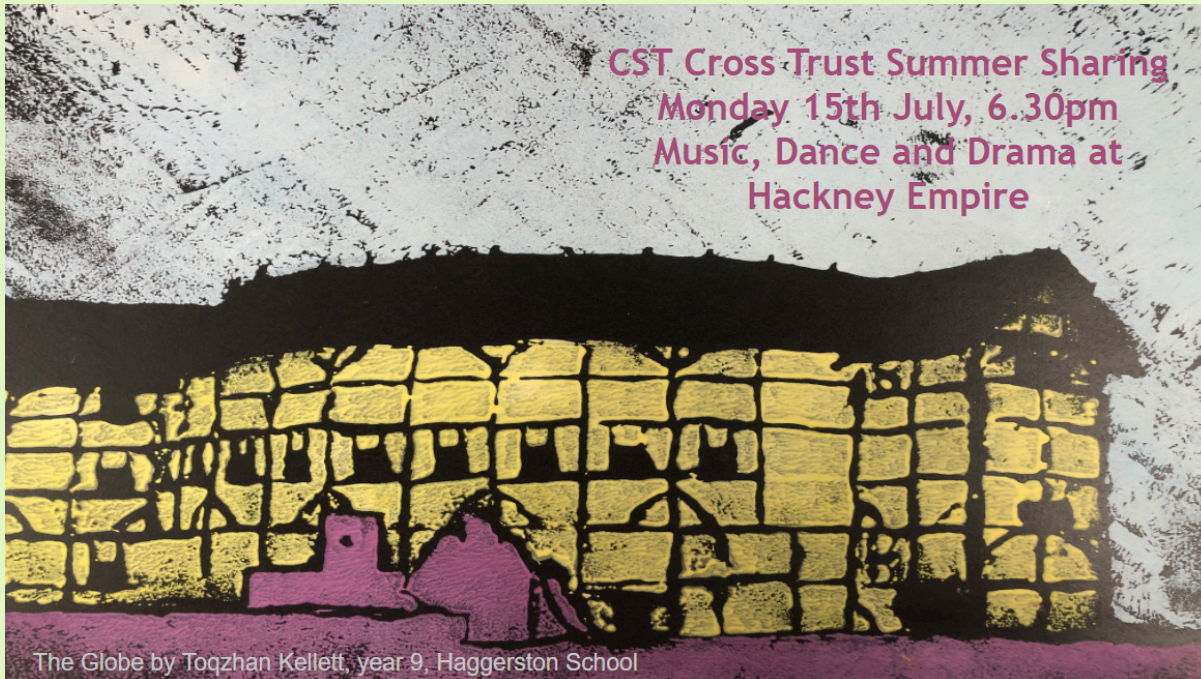
next week

You are warmly invited to attend the first annual private view exhibiting GCSE and A-Level work.

The exhibition will feature a selection of work by all GCSE and A-level students and will include examples of preparatory studies, sketchbooks, painting, drawing, sculpture, printmaking, product design and textiles outcomes.



Haggerston School



CST Cross Trust Summer Sharing
Monday 15th July, 6.30pm
Music, Dance and Drama at
Hackney Empire

The Globe by Toqzhan Kellett, year 9, Haggerston School

I am pleased to announce this year's Summer Sharing will be a CST cross trust event involving performances of dance, drama and music from students at Haggerston School, Forest Gate, Cumberland, Waterside and Excelsior. This is an opportunity for students to share the beautiful work they have created in their Performing Arts lessons and clubs.

The performance will be held on Monday 15 July 2024 at Hackney Empire. The performance will start at 6.30pm and will be approximately 2 hours long including an interval. There will be no late admittance.

Tickets will be available to buy from Scopay later this week. If your child is performing, they will also be given a letter with further information this week. Ms Powell and the Performing Arts team.

Hackney Schools Bulletin

The Great Hackney Libraries Quest
Summer 2024 Carnival!
20 July-15 Sep

At all Hackney libraries

Join the Quest!
Read books and take part in fun activities to collect stamps, receive certificates and win prizes.

A new celebration of our libraries for all ages!

Find out all our about Quest activities at lovehackney.uk/great-hackney-libraries-quest
See our carnival themed book lists at lovehackney.uk/reading-lists

Hackney



UK Health Security Agency

[Click to read the letter from City and Hackney Public Health](#)

Date: June 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian



Has your child had their pre-school immunisations?

CGA Former Students' Event

Former Students Reunion
Wednesday 10 July: 6.30 - 8.00pm



Clapton Girls' Academy
Est. 1906

No matter when you attended, we invite you to our annual Former Students' Reunion for a trip down memory lane. Experience the best of both worlds - the comfort of the familiar and the thrill of the new! Reconnect with old classmates and embark on a nostalgic adventure, where memories are shared and new stories are created.

[Click here to book your place.](#)

Term Dates 2023/24

Autumn Term 2023

Start: Monday 04 September
End: Friday 15 December
(Early Dismissal 12.45pm)
Half Term: Monday 23 - Friday 27 October
Inset Days: Monday 04 September
Monday 04 December

Spring Term 2024

Start: Monday 08 January
End: Thursday 28 March (Full School Day)
Half Term: Monday 12 - Friday 16 February
Bank Holiday: Monday 02 January
Inset Days: Friday 22 March

Summer Term 2024

Start: Monday 15 April
End: Friday 19 July (Early Dismissal 12.45pm)
Half Term: Monday 27 - Friday 31 May

Confirmed term dates for 2024/2025

Autumn Term

First date of term: Tuesday 03 September 2024
Half term holiday: Monday 28 October - Friday 01 November 2024
Last day of term: Thursday 13 December 2024
INSET Days: 02 September and 02 December 2024

Spring Term

First date of term: Monday 06 January 2025
Half term holiday: Monday 17- Friday 21 February 2025
Last day of term: Friday 04 April 2025
INSET Day: 21 March 2025

Summer Term

First date of term: Tuesday 22 April 2025
Half term holiday: Monday 26- Friday 30 May 2025
Last day of term: Friday 18 July 2025
Bank Holiday: 05 May 2025

Parent Evening Dates

Year 7: 14 November 2023
Year 9 Options Remote Event : 29 January 2024
Year 9 Parent Evening: 27 February 2024
Year 11: 16 January 2024
Year 8: 19 March 2024
Year 10: 30 April 2024
Year 12 & 13: 23 January 2024

Exam Result Dates

A-Level : Thursday 15 August
GCSE : Thursday 22 August

Other Key Dates

26 December Boxing Day	01 January New Years Day	29 March Good Friday	31 March Easter Sunday	01 April Easter Monday
10 April Eid al Fitr (tbc)	06 May Bank Holiday	27 May Spring Bank Holiday	17 June Eid al Adha	26 August Bank Holiday